

a switch, wherein:

the receiving antenna is capable of being switched effectively, respectively via the coupling capacitor and the switch, only for the one of the first variably tunable tuning stage and the second variably tunable tuning stage connected with the frequency converter stage via the changeover device.

9. (New) The radio receiver according to claim 6, wherein:

the first variably tunable tuning stage includes:

- a first tunable tuning circuit,
- a first amplifier stage, and
- a second tunable tuning circuit, and

the second variably tunable tuning circuit includes:

- a third tunable tuning circuit,
- a second amplifier stage, and
- a fourth tunable tuning circuit.

10. (New) The radio receiver according to claim 6, wherein:

the frequency converter stage includes:

- a mixing stage,
- an oscillator amplifier stage,
- an isolating amplifier,
- a divider capable of being programmed via a data bus, and
- a PLL stage.

Remarks

This Preliminary Amendment cancels original claims 1 to 7, without prejudice, in the underlying PCT Application No. PCT/DE99/02769, and cancels substitute claims 1-5, without prejudice. The Preliminary Amendment also adds new claims 6-10. The new claims conform the claims to U.S. Patent and Trademark Office rules and do not add new matter to the application.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(3), the Substitute Specification (including the Abstract, but without the claims) contains no new matter. The amendments reflected in the Substitute Specification (including Abstract) are to conform the Specification and

Abstract to U.S. Patent and Trademark Office rules or to correct informalities. As required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(3)(iii) and § 1.125(b)(2), a Marked Up Version Of The Substitute Specification comparing the Specification of record and the Substitute Specification also accompanies this Preliminary Amendment. Approval and entry of the Substitute Specification (including Abstract) are respectfully requested.

The underlying PCT Application No. PCT/DE99/02769 includes an International Search Report, dated February 9, 2000 and an International Preliminary Examination Report dated September 25, 2000, copies of which are submitted herewith.

Applicants assert that the subject matter of the present application is new, non-obvious, and useful. Prompt consideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

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